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In re application of

Hideo SANO

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POWER CALIBRATION METHOD AND  
APPARATUS FOR OPTICAL DISC

**REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL FILING RECEIPT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

We enclose herewith copies of the Transmittal Letter and Application Data Sheet of the above-identified application, filed on July 23, 2003, as evidenced by the accompanying postcard receipt. We ask that the Official Filing Receipt be recorded and returned to us in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. **8023-1022****To the Assistant Commissioner of Patents**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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Inventors: **Hideo SANO**Corresponding to **Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-222810** filed on **July 31, 2002**Title: **POWER CALIBRATION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPTICAL DISC**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ **44** Pages of Specification containing **21** claims
- ☒ **9** Sheets of formal Drawings ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☐ Submission of English translation of prior provisional application under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(5)
- ☒ Newly executed Oath or Declaration/Power of Attorney
- ☐ Copy of Oath or Declaration/Power of Attorney from a prior application (continuation/divisional)
- ☐ The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied as indicated in the preceding box, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- ☐ Deletion of inventor(s). A signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (see 37 CFR 1.63 (d)(2) and 1.33(b))
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
- ☒ Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. § 1.76
- ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- ☐ An assignment to \_\_\_\_\_ for parent application no. \_\_\_\_\_ was recorded on \_\_\_\_\_ at Reel \_\_\_\_\_, Frame \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) w/PTO-1449 - ☒ Copy of IDS citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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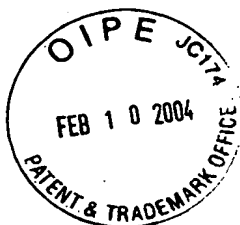
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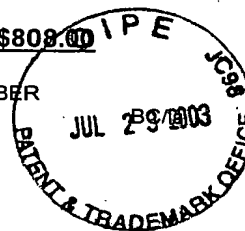
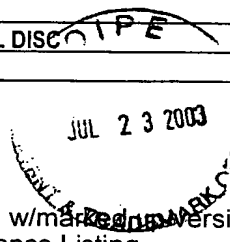
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